POLITICIAN BADLY USED

Beaten on the Street Until Blood Came From His Eyes.

AUTOMOBILE

Sailors Plan to Board a Vessel and by Force Oust a Non-Union Crew

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., March 1b.—Maurico Thurmann, a mechanic by trade, and an active Doy-Riddick: "good government" city politician, was beaten until blood came from his eyes and nose by J. Arthur Wynro in front of the office of the Mayor of the city in courthouse square to-day. The fight seems to have been another result of a chapter of incidents which first culminated in the attack which first culminated in the attack made upon R. J. Malbon, grocer and barkeeper, at the corner of Church, and Charlotte Streets, by W. D. Lantigan, while Malbon was passing through Queen Street with Mayor Jamos G. Riddick after midnight Monday. This assault was supposed to be intended for the Mayor. To-day's was but the outgrowth of the same political feud. The trial is expected to develop a political sensation.

CASTLEBERRY ACQUITTED.

1. L. Castleberry was acquitted by the jury in the Corporation Court this afternoon. The case was over at 1:20 o'clock, after the jury had beer, out for deliberation for forly minutes. Judge Alian R. Hanckel, addressing Commonwealth's Attorney Tilton, asked if there were any further charges; them said. "Mr. Castleberry, You are discharged." That ended the case. The case was the charge of the Commonwealth that the prisoner, L. L. Castleberry, had attempted to betray Miss Francie Reynolds, of Portsmouth, and had led her into a house of doubtful reputation and detained her there against her will. In deference to the modesty of the young girl and to the feelings of her family, Judge Hanckel excluded all persons from the court room who were not connected with the case or with the court, and requested the newspapers not to publish the details of the tealimony except as their rights demanded and their discretion dictated. The doors were closed, and the testimony of the girl, who is about seventeen years of age, was taken as privately as possible.

AUTO RACES.

Representatives of the American Automobile Association and the Automobile Club of America are expected to arrive here on Saturday of this week for the purpose of testing the Virginia Beach course for automobile speed competition. If found favorable, it is a foregone conclusion, it is said, that the course will be chosen for the qualification trials for the American machines entered in the International cup race.

Judge Waddill, of the United States District Court, to-day cited H. R. Booker and E. T. Jones to appear in court at Richmond on March 17th to show cause why they should not be fined for contempt of court by interfering with property of the Hampton Roads Railway Company on Academy Street, Hampton, involved in the receivership proceedings.

SEAMEN'S PLOT.

Suppressed excitement provalls around the water front to-day. Forty or fifty union seamen, white and black, are gathered about the seamen's union in their stead. A score of men,

Fredericksburg Affairs.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., March 10.—
Judge A. T. Embrey has purchased of
the estate of the late Misses Annie Cox
and Edmonia Walker the property on
Main Street, between Hanover and Char-

lotte Streets, owned by the estate, on private terms.

Randail Parks, an old colored man, who died here yesterday, had reached the advanced age of 50 years.

The steamer Caroline, of the Weems Line, which had been thoroughly everhauled, having been of the Impalanmock River Since Christmas, will resume the trips between this city and Urbanna, on the lower Rippalanmock, beginning Monday, March 14th. The steamer will make the trip down every Tuesday, Tjureday and Saturday, returning on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. This steamer is a splendid feeder to the trade of this city Irom the Rappahannock Valley,

LYNCHBURG BANKS TO INCREASE CAPITAL

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., March 19.—The First National Bank to-day, at a meeting of its stockholders, increased its capital stock from \$15,000 to \$250,000. The new shares are to be sold at \$200 canh, and thus the sum of \$100,000 will be added to the surplus, making a total surplus of about \$250,000, and a total capital, including capital stock and surplus, of about half a million dollars. The cashier of this bank is Mr. E. P. Miller, a brother of Mr. John M. Miller, cashier of the First National Bank, of Richmond.

Another Lynchburg bank, the People's National Bank, is to increase its capital stock by the sale of five hundred shares at \$200 cach, thus adding \$50,000 to its capital stock and a like amount to its surplus.

New Public Building.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., March 10.—
The plans for Charlottesville's new public building have been completed, and Sentor Thomas S. Martin has been asked to call at the office of the supervising architect, Mr. C. R. Kemper, to examine them. The building will be of classic design, in Keeping with the general conception of the buildings at the University of Virginia.

The contract for the erection of the building will be let early this summer. This means that there will not be much further delay in its crection. The reason for the delay thus long is that the architect, in drawing his plans, found that the building as originally designed would cost \$15,000. The appropriation, which had been made, was for only \$19,000, so that the architect wrote to the chairman of the Committee, on Public Buildings and Grounds, asking for an increased appropriation of \$25,000. This the committee refused to recommend.

Pantops Ball Schedule.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., March 10.—
The following is the base-ball schedule for the Pantops team this season:
Thursday, March 17, Pantops vs. Virginia, at Charlottesvile.
Saturday, April 12, open.
Monday April 11, Pantops vs. Fishburne Military School, at Waynesboro. Va.
Wednesday, April 13, Pantops vs. Hampden-Sidney College, at Charlottesville.
Saturday, April 16, Pantops vs. Brown's University School, at Brown's School.
Monday, April 18, Pantops vs. Milier School.
Saturday, April 23, Pantops vs. Woodberry Forest School, at Charlottesville.
Monday, April 25, Pantops vs. Woodberry Forest School, at Charlottesville.
Monday, April 26, Pantops vs. Ucoust Dale Academy, at Locust Dale, Va.
Military School, at Charlottesville.
Thursday, May 2, Pantops vs. Brown's University School, at Charlottesville.
Thursday, May 5, Pantops vs. Brown's University School, at Charlottesville.
Thursday, May 9, Pantops vs. Woodberry Forest School at Orange, Va.
Saturday, May 14, Fantops vs. Locust Dale Academy, at Charlottesville.
Want That New Normal.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LEESBURG, VA., March 10.—The following committees have been uppointed to aid in procuring the establishment of the new formal school in this place or county. L. M. Shumate, chairman; B. F. Head, Joseph L. Norris, a committee to entertain the legislative committee; J. B. McCabe, chairman; A. Dibrell, A. J. Bradfield and W. H. Clemens, a committee to solicit aid from Leesburg district and town, and E. Nickols, Edg., chairman of a committee to interest the citizens of Loudoun at large.

MAYOR CHARGES CONSPIRACY

He Is Badly Injured and Is Confined to His

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) ROANOKE, VA., March 10.—Mayor Joel H. Cutchin is confined to bed as a result of the injuries he received yesterday. He is very badly injured. arm is badly broken and his right eye

closed by the cut he received. He da-clares that it was a political conspiracy, hatched Tuesday night, and his life was in danger.

He says the Johnson youth struck him with an iron weight, but several parties who witnessed the fight say the boy used only his fists.

Councilman Page escaped with slight injuries.

All diseases and C LINI affections of the

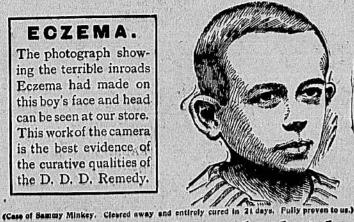
Positively cleared away in a hurry. I vouch for it.

Thousands of wretched people are miserable—imagining they have a bad poisoning of the blood—when in nine cases out of ten it is purely a local parasitic manifestation in the skin which can be cleared away in a hurry.

Such misery now cleared away as surely as the sun shines above. Not merely ATTEMFTED—not a matter of improvement only—but a clearing of it all away absolutely-and quickly, too.

ECZEMA.

The photograph showing the terrible inroads Eczema had made on this boy's face and head can be seen at our store. This work of the camera is the best evidence of the curative qualities of the D. D. D. Remedy.



We vouch for this--absolutely.

It has been proven to us beyond the possibility of doubt that a new medicament known as D. D. D. clears up the worst skin affections quickly. Its work seems astonishing, amazing, almost miraculous. (It is a specific formula which, because of its discovery by Dr. Decator Dennis, is known as 'ID, D. D.'). Its actual record sounds like a story of magio. But there is no room for doubt about it whatever, full proofs indisputable in every respect, have been submitted to us regarding hundreds of cases—among them the one case shown here of the boy (Sammy Minkey), who was cured in 21 days. The results are not only complete, but permanent; in this case it is now nearly two years since the disease was cleared out of the skin, and no taint of it has appeared since.

Each one of the known skin affections is parasitic in nature, and all af them have yielded to 'ID, D. D.'. The preparation is being used by most of the skin specialists. It is compounded for druggists solely by the D. D. D. Co., 70 Dearborn St., Chicago. It is utilized by every family physician who has taken the trouble to investigate the work it is accomplishing. It is used in the Cook County Hospital, Chicago.

It will clear away any parasitic break in the skin in from 8 days to 60 days' time. Visit the undersigned and see proofs that will make you a happier human, \$1.00 buys the prescription—already made up in sealed bottles, with authentic label of the sech.

FOR SALE BY TRAGLE DRUG CO.

VOTING FOR A LIBRARY

Interesting Contest in Interest of Young Men's Reading Rooms.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONS

Annual Convention Closes After Two Days' Session-Unoccupied Frame House Burns.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) PETERSBURG, VA., March 10.-There a great deal of Interest in Petersburg over a voting contest for the Merchants Gift Library, and prominent among the Street. The establishment of these rooms is the work of Rev, W. A. R. Goodwyn while he was pastor of St. John's Church, in this city, from which church-he re-

These rooms were popular from the beginning, and scores of young men after improvement and recreation.

Mr. Goodwyn is greatly interested in young men and this institution, the result of his efforts, is doing great good.

By actual count there were 2,310 visitors to these rooms during January and February. The library being voted for is just the kind needed by these rooms, and the chances are that those interesting themselves in the matter will secure ing themselves in the matter will secure the books for the young men's readbooks for the young men's read-

WOMAN'S HOME MISSION. The annual convention of the Woman's Home Mission Society was brought to close last night, after two sessions had been held and the business before the convention had been disposed of. The reports showed that the work of the

ociety had been greatly extended the past year, and that the efforts of the poble band of workers were being crown-d what success.

The address of welcome was made by Miss Annie Mann, and was responded to by Mrs. Frank Jones, of Blackstone, Mrs. V. J. Young, of Richmond, president of the Virginia Conference Home Mission Society, made an address, in which she spoke of the deaconness feature as a spoke of the deaconness feature as a most valuable ally. Mrs. Ella Cree reported on the work accomplished by the Sewing Society School at the Methodist Institute in Richmond. Mrs. J. T. Mastin, of Richmond, spoke on the deaconness subject. Brief talks were given by Mrs. L. B. Beatty and Mrs. Fowlkes,

The annual sermon before the society was delivered last night at Market Street was delivered last night at Market Street. Church by the Rev. John Hannon, D. D., of Richmond. The seating capacity of the church was taxed to its utmost, and many were unable to gain admission. Dr. Hannon spoke of the effect of Christianity on the life of woman, and he paid a glowing tribute to the missionary which is accomplishing so much paid a glowing tribute to the missionary society, which is accomplishing so much good in this State and country. He referred to the origin of the society in Baltimore, and expressed assurance that the society would fulfil its noble mission. Dr. Hannon's address was listened to with marked attention.

SMALLPOX.

Every precaution to prevent the spread of smallpox at Matoaca is being taken. In the village and immediate vicinity there are already a dozen cases, and the presence of the disease is occasioning intense excitement among other residents of the town.

of the town,
An unoccupied frame house between old and River Streets, owned by John A. Gill & Company, was burned last midnight. The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin, By hard work the flames were prevented from reaching adjoining building in which are located wholesale groceries, hay merchants and fur dealers, whose establishments front on Old Street, near Sycamore.

Mr. Otto Korn, the proprietor of the

Mr. Otto Korn, the proprietor of the Prospect Hotel, is repainting the build-ing and making other desirable improve-

for contagious diseases, is being agitated by some of the citizens. It is specially desirable that some place of this kind

General A. Hun Berry and Colonel Ephraim Stearns, his daughter, of Waitham, Mass; C. W. Baldwin and wife, of Range, N. J., spent the day in Peters-burg to-day and visited the battlefields. The March term of the Hustings Court will convene on the 17th, a number of cases being set for trial during the ses-

sion.
Mr. James B. Colwell, who has been
very ill, is able to be out on the streets.
"The Vinegar Buyer" appears at the
Patersburg Academy of Music to-more.

CAUGHT IN FLY WHEEL.

Negro Mangled and Instantly Killed-Cider License.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

DURHAM, N. C., March 10.—Charles
Macon Toran, a negro, aged fifty, employed on the night force at the W.,
Duke, Sons and Company branch of the
American Tobacco Company, in this city,
was instantly killed early this morning
by being caught in the fly wheel of one
of the powerful machines used in the
siem crushing department. His right leg
was broken and his skull mashed in. It
is thought that Toran went to oil the
machinery when he was caught, as the
foreman of this department saw him only
a few minutes before the accident occurred, sitting on a box near the machine.
Clerk of the Court C. B. Green was
taken suddenly ill yesterday afternoon
and had to be removed from his office
to his home. He recovered sufficiently,
however, to return to his office before
night.
The Board of Aldermen Monday night

night.

The Board of Aldermen Monday night refused to grant but one firm a license to seil cider. They, however, met again yesterday afternoon and reconsidered their action, with the result that eight persons were granted the license. The lax on cider retailers in this city is \$30 per year, while the wholesale man has to pay \$25.

Northumberland News.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

HEATHSVILLE, VA. March 10—The arriage of Mr. Garry N. Messick and semmixed Tuesday night March 11th in yington, Rev. J. M. Anderson performing the original properties of the Weems Line, are aking regular tips on schedule time for more more. It has been learned here that Dr. W. Bydnor, who has been ill in Richmond, convelescent. Mrs. Sydnor, who was alled to his bedside is still with him and will recall until time for his return. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FFEATHSVILLIS, VA., March 10.—The
marriage of Mr. Garry N. Messick and
Miss Lillie Hoffman, attractive daughter
of Captain George W. Hoffman, will be
olemnized Tuesday night, March 18th, in
ryington, Rev. J. M. Anderson performme the ceremony.



A BUCKINGHAM PATRIARCH DEAD

He Leaves One Hundred and Twelve Descend-

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) MOUNT VINCO, VA., March 10.-Mr. William A. Crews, a highly respected litizen of this county and an old Confederate veteran, died Saturday, the anni

erate veteran, died Saturday, the anniversary of the death of his wife, who passed away on the same day of March six years ago.

Mr. Crows was in the eighty-first year of his age, and died in the same house in which he was born, and is survived by thirteen living children, all of whom are married, and also by seventy-five living great-grandchildren and twenty-four living great-grandchildren; total living descendants, one hundred and twelve.

Crewe Notes.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CREW, VA., March 10.—Mr. and Mrs.
J. H. Hines returned Wednesday from
Prince Edward county, having been in attondance at the birthday celebration of the
latter's father, Mr. F. Allen. This of
war veteran entered his eightleth year
Tuesday, the 8th.

Rev. John W. Carroll, of Martinsville,
will assist Rev. T. J. Taylor, of the
Methodist Church, in a series of meetings,
beginning Sunday.

Hogshead-Page.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., March 10.—
Mr. G. Hunter Hogshead, of Monroe
county, W. Va., and Miss Mollie Lee
Page, of Albemarle county, were married
at the Presbyterian manse in this city
at 11 o'clock this morning, the Rev. Dr.
George L. Petrie officiating.

SUCCESSFUL TEST.

Meeting Yesterday of Birmingham Automatic Air Brake Co.

ham Automatic Air Brake Co.

The Birmingham Automatic Emergency
Air Brake Company held a meeting yesterday in the Attorney-General's office
to devise plans for organization. Mr. W.
G. Mathews, the president; Colonel Robert Catlett, the secretary and treasurer;
Hon: Don. P. Halsey and Mr. J. P. Birmingham were in attendance. After two
hours given to the drawing of plans
the company adjourned to the Chesapeake
and Ohlo Seventeenth Street shops and
made several successful tests of the
brake. The test was witnessed by several
visiting gentlemen. The brake is attached to Chesapeake and Ohlo coach No.
311, on the Seventeenth Street yard.

The company will hold its next meeting
in Lexington, Va., on the 30th day of
March, 1994.

The third of a series of lectures on might at Monumental Episcopal Church by Dr. W. E. Evans. His topics will be as follows: as follows:
The Church first, then the New Testament; the language that Jesus spoke; the New Testament; spurious gospels; test by cannon; certainty; apparent contradic-

Upon the bill to permit the use of con-viots in digging the foundations for the addition to the Capitol, Mr. Wallace, of Richmond, was the only member whose vote was recorded in opposition.

Interesting Experiment in a Restaurant. An advertising agent, representing a prominent New York magazine, while on a recent western trip was dining one eve-

a recent western trip was dining one evening in a Pittsburg restaurant.

While waiting for his order he glanced over his newspaper and noticed the advertisement of a well known dyspepsia preparation, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets; as he himself was a regular user of the tablets, he began speculating as to how many of the other traveling men in the disture roam were also friends of the pondature roam were recommended to the contract of th

many of the other traveling men in the dining room were also friends of the popular remedy for indigestion.

He says: I counted twenty-three men at the tables and in the hotel office, I took the trouble to interview them and was surprised to learn that nine of the twenty-three made a practice of taking one or two of Stuart's Dyspesia Tablets after

two of Stuart's Dyspesia Tablets after each meal.

One of them told me he had suffered so much from stomach trouble that at one time he had been obliged to quit the road, but since using Stuart's Dyspesia Tablets had been entirely free from indigestion, but he continued their use, especially while traveling, on account of irregularity in meals and because, like all traveling men, he was often obliged to eat what he could get and not always what he wanted.

Another, who looked the picture of health, said he never ate a meal without taking a Stuart Tablet afterward because he could eat what he pleased and when he pleased without fear of a sleepless night or any other trouble.

Still another used them because he was subject to gas on stomach, causing pressure on heart and lungs, shortness of breath and distress in chest, which he no longer experienced since using the tablets regularly.

VICTORY FOR W. R. HEARST

Friends Have Complete Control of Democratic Convention at Providence, R. I.

LENGTHILY ENDORSED

Numerous "Whereases" and Flowing Praise Laid at New York Man's Feet.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 10.-John . Fitzgerald, of Pawtucket, leader of the Democrats in the State House of Representatives, won a notable victory in the State Convention held to-day for the purpose of choosing delegates to the National Democratic Convention at St. Louis. Mr. Fitzgerald, assisted by former Mayor George W. Greene, of Woonsocket, Democratic/national committeemen, routed the forces led by Colonel Patrick Quinn, of Warwick, chairman of the State Central Committee, and Colonel Samuel D. Honey, the leader of the "Old Time" Democrats, electing themselves and three of their out and cut supporters and one delegate who had been counted as an opponent, but who lo-day voted with the Fitzgerald-Greene faction, which is working in the interests of W. R. Hearst for the presidential nomination. Having done this, they permitted the leaders of the opposition, Colomel Quinn and Colonel Honey, to be named in completing the delegation.

Following the convention a meeting of the six Hearst delegates was held, at which the presidential candidacy of Mr. Hearst was endorsed and lengthy resolutions favoring the adoption of the unit rule by the delegation in voting were passed.

It was expected before the convention socket, Democratic / national committee-

It was expected before the convention that a contest would be make over the question of instructing the delegates, but this did not develop, the candidates being uninstructed. Mr. Fitzgerald, however, in addressing the convention, announced that he should vote for Mr. Hearst's presidential nomination and af-terwards it was stated that the six Fitz-

terwards it was stated that the Six Fitz-gerald-Greene delegates would support the New York man. On the other hand, Chicnel Honey an-reunced himself as an opponent of Mr. Liearst, saying that he should vote against him first, last and all the time.

A REMARKABLE MAN.

Russell H. Conwell, Philadelphia Preacher, Has Interesting Past.

Preacher, Has Interesting Past.

Russell H. Conwell, the great Philadelphia preacher, has been accorded an unusual honor, in that in his own city three thousand people heard him in his great lecture, "Acres of Diamonds," at one dollar a seat.

Few men have had as many honors heaped upon them in like time as has Russell H. Conwell, whose great church, notwithstanding that it has the largest auditorium in the country, fails to hold the fremendous audiences who seek to hear him. So popular is Mr. Conwell that for the last six years admission has been by ticket only, and often thousands are turned away.

For forty years Mr. Conwell has been on the lecture platform, and has delivered nearly six thousand lectures. Associated as he has been with Gough, Beecher, Holmes, Longfellow and other famous Americans, he stands to-day the equal of any of the past, and tine peer of any in tho present. The story of his life is a marvelous one. His battles with poverty, debt and death, and his great victories through faith have made for him a very warm place in the hearts of the American people.

Reserved seats go on sale at the Young

WANTED AN OSTRICH.

Mr. Roddy Says His Pet Bird Flew Away at Atlanta.

George S, Roddy is here ahead o Mr. George S. Roddy is here ahead of "Dodo."

He wants to get a tame ostrich, or even a real dodo, if he can, for Mr. Richard Golden to use in the production.

"We had an ostrich in Florida," said Mr. Roddy, "but somehody left the cage door open at Atlanta, and the ostrich flew away."

Mr. Roddy went out to Lakeside yesterday, but found no ostriches. He will he in the city several days and is at Campbell's.

GREAT REVIVAL.

Fourteen Conversions at Pine Street Already.

Large congregations continue to pack the Pine Street Baptist Church, where, under the preaching of the Rov. C. W. Duke, a notable revival is being held. The crowds are constantly increasing. There were fourteen conversions last night All of those who professed conversion were received for baptism.

The Rov. Mr. Duke conducted a great revival at Pine Street seven years ago, and there were 20 or more conversions. The services were remarkable for their depth of influence. Indications up to this time point to a possible repetition of the success of seven years ago.

INDEPENDENT ICE PLANT IS NOW A CERTAINTY

At an enthusiastic meeting of ice con-sumers held yesterday afternoon at San-ger Hall subscriptions were reported in sufficient number to warrant the opening of an independent plant here. Another sufficient number to 'warrant the opening of an independent plant here. Another meeting will be 'held on Monday, and a company will be organized. A warshouse will be secured, and the independent concern will wage a vigorous war gainst the ice trust of Richmond. They claim to be gibt to put ice on the market at prices much below those announced by the combination. A regular business will be done, and a wagon trade and delivery will be gonducted.

Special Music at Monumental. At the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning the choir will render the anthem, "Saek Ye the Lord," by Roberts, tenor solo and chorus. Mr. C. B. Cooke, solo-

At the 5 o'clock service, Gpunod's beautiful anthem, "By Babylon's Wave," will be sung by the choir. Several organ selections will be rendered by special request, including the Prize Song from Meistersinger, by Wagner; "Largo," by Handel; "The Nuptlai March, by Guilmant, and The Lost Chord, by Sullivan.

Knocked Down by Car.

A little child playing in the street was knocked down by a car on the Hollywood line, near the cemetery, yesterday, and was painfully bruised, but otherwise unhurt. The name of the child, who was dragged some distance in the tender, could not be ascertained. The accident caused considerable excitement in the neighborhood.

Mr. Upshur Sick.

Mr. John A. Upshur, clerk to the Cor-poration Commission, was confined to his joine by sickness yesterday. He will likely be out to-day, as he is not seri-ously in the control of the confined and seri-ng charters were granted yesterday.

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Best Cream Cheese, pound....
Elgin Butter, pound.....
Arbuckle's Coffee, pound..... Large New Mackerel, 3 for... Best Meal, 70e, bushel, or peck Best Butchers' Lard, pound... Silver Leaf Lard, in bulk, 10e, pound, for in Uns......

Good Lard, 9c. pound, or 3

Force, pagkage..... Malta Vita, package..... Quaker Oats, package..... Mothers' Oats, package...... American Oats, package...... Old Crown Rye, gallon These prices are for cash in advance. Ten cents per gallon extra for jugs,

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OF CONFERENCE Branch of Methodist Church

Meeting in Alexandria-Suicide on Mother's Grave. (Special*to The Times-Dispatch.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., March 10,-The

ALEXANDRIA, VA., March 10.—The tility-sixth annual session of the Virginia Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church was called to order this morning at 10 o'clock by Bishop Cyrus D. Foss, D. D., of Philadelphia.

Bishop Foss delivered an introductory address, in which he stated the progress made by this branch of the Methodist Church in Virginia since he last presided over a Virginia Conference held at Waterford ten years ago.

The roll of the conference was called by Ray, J. A. Jeffers, temporary secretary, and the officers of the conference were then elected as follows: Secretary, Rey, W. F. Miller; statistical secretary, Rey, W. F. Giles; treasurer, Rey, A. M. Crabtree.

The time of meeting and accourament

was then taken up, and it was decided to meet at 8:30 for a prayer service to last half an hour, after which the business meetings are to be held, adjourning at n.on.

Rev. J. A. Jeffers announced that charges had been preferred against one of the members of the conference, Rev. Jasper Sage. The bishon here stated that trials could be conducted either by the entire conference or by a select committee, the latter method being decided upon.

that trials could be conducted either of the case is to be tried at the parsonage by the committee, over which Rev. A. F. Ingle, while the defense will preside; the counsel for the church is Rev. A. H. Ingle, while the defense will be conducted by Rev. R. A. Scott.

An address was made to the conference by Miss Kemp, a member of the faculty of the National Training School at Washington, and the splendid work done by that institution was brought to the notice of the ministers.

The time of meeting for the election of ministerial delegates to the General Conference was set for Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, and the time for the election of lay delegates for Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and the time for the election of lay delegates for Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and the time for the election of lay delegates for Friday morning at 10 o'clock, and the time for the election of lay delegates for Friday morning behavior of the follow of the follow of the financially and spiritually.

Frank Summers, a blacksmith of this city, was found dead this morning beside the grave of his mother in the old Union Cemetery.

A large portion of the flesh from his face and neck had been eaten away by some large does, which were about the body when it was discovered by the keeper carly this morning.

From the appearance of the body, he had probably laid there all hight and was discovered by the pack of voracious dogs as they roamed through the cemetery.

The coroner was notified, and he directed the body to be conveyed to the undertaking establishment of W. H. Demaine and Son.

It is thought that the man came to his horrible end by his own hand, judging from the circumstances surrounding his death.

He was a stepson of John W. Summers, a prominent carriage manufac-

death.

He was a stepson of John W. Summers, a prominent carriage manufacturer, of this city, and is survived by a wife and five children.

He was about forty-five years of age.

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